

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Applicant	:	Hermann Monstadt, et al.
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Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

Enclosed for filing in the above-identified application is a PTO/SB/08 Equivalent listing 4 references, of which none are enclosed/submitted. Identification herein is not an admission that any of the references are prior art to the above captioned application.

Reference numbers 1-4 identify co-pending applications or issued patents filed by Applicant or entities related to the Applicant. Applicant directs the Examiner to these references to consider whether the subject matter claimed, now or as may be amended in the future, as well as the associated prosecution history, now or in the future, may be relevant to the patentability of the present application (e.g., for reasons of obviousness-type double patenting). Applicant believes that the Examiner has access to the applications and associated file histories through the Patent Office (e.g., the IFW system). Accordingly, Applicant has not provided copies of these applications or their associated file histories, but would be happy to do so, now or in the future, should the Examiner so request.

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Please place these references in the file of the above-identified patent application in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(i).

Respectfully submitted,
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